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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated September 8, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-15.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 1 month to and including January 8, 2006 is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$60.00 is enclosed for the petition fee.

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Respectfully submitted,

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